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Turin, January 18.

SIG. Sicardi, a noted Lawyer, is appointed to go to Vienna, to tranſact a ſecret Commiſſion from the King, who, beſides the Appointment of 1000 Crowns a Month, has alſo made him a Knight of the Order of St. Maurice. People reaſon variouſly as to the Subject of his Commiſſion. The Biſhop of Alba, who by his Diſobedience to the King's Commands, brought his whole Family to Diſgrace, is dead. Almoſt all the Biſhopricks of this Country are vacant, and there is no Appearance of an Accommodation between this Court and that of Rome. Count Scaglia, Heir to the illuſtrious Houſe of Verrue, is married to General Reibbinder's Daughter, Lady of Honour to the Queen. The Bankruptcy of Sig. Columba has been attended by that of Sig. Ruffin, and 'tis feared many others will follow; Letters from Venice and Genoa ſcarcely mention any thing elſe than ſuch Diſaſters. Advices from Milan ſay, that ſeveral Perſons have been ſeized, having conſiderable Sums of Money about them, which 'tis ſaid have been miſapplied from the Revenues of the Emperour, under the Administration of a certain deceas'd Miniſter.

Hague, Feb. 11. 'The Imperial Miniſter having taken Leave in Writing of the States General, in order to ſet out to Bruſſels and from thence to Cambray, aſſured them of his Care of their Intereſts in the enſuing Congreſs: Their High Mightineſſes took thoſe Aſſurances very kindly, and are determined to thank him for his very obliging Promiſes on that Head: It is generally taken for granted, that his miniſterial Commiſſion to the States will be continued to him notwithſtanding he goes to the Congreſs.

'Time will evince the Sincerity of Offers made to ſerve the States at the enſuing Congreſs. When the Marqueſs Beretti Landi ſet out from hence, he ſaid the handſomeſt things imaginable on that Score, and by order too, as 'tis reported, of the King his Maſter; nevertheleſs, the Dutch Ambaſſadour at Madrid has not yet been able to prevail upon that Court to order the Releaſement of the Dutch Ship called the City of Rotterdam, which was ſome time ago ſeized at Cadiz, though no ſort of proper Inſtances to obtain it have been wanting either here or at Madrid; and it is apprehended, that unleſs this State complies with the Demand of Sweden, in regard to the Papers of the late Baron Gortz, or his Secretary, the Dutch Miniſter at Stockholm may meet with Obſtacles too in his Negocitations which he did not expect.

'It is reported, that the King of Denmark objects againſt his Subjects executing in his own Dominions the Office of Conſul, by virtue of Powers or Patents granted them from foreign States; and accordingly, 'tis ſaid his Daniſh Majeſty refuſes to admit a Dutch Conſul in Norway, in the Perſon of his own Subject: Whereupon the States deſign to remonſtrate, that although it be moſt true that each Sovereign chooſes rather to employ their own Subjects in Offices, preferably to others; nevertheleſs, for Conveniency ſake, that Proceeding is ſometimes put by; that, it being to be conſidered that Conſuls are not Publick Miniſters, this State, therefore, has hitherto made no Difficulty in permitting their own Subjects to act in that and alſo in much higher Capacities by Commiſſion from other States; and that his Daniſh Majeſty appointed one Sanderſon for his Commiſſary, at Amſterdam, who is a Subject of this State: Therefore their High Mightineſſes deſire their Conſul at Norway may in like Manner be permitted to execute his Function, they not knowing at the time of his being named to that Employment, any thing of his Daniſh Majeſty's Reſolution to the contrary.

Paris, Feb. 12. A Reduction of Forces is again talked of, and Eſtabliſhments are drawn out for that purpoſe; 'tis thought however, the Execution of that Deſign will not be compleated before the meeting of the Congreſs at Cambray.

The Turkiſh Ambaſſadour is expected here at the Beginning of the next Month.

On the 7th Inſtant, the Princeſs of Pons was brought to Bed of a Son; the Houſe was illuminated at Night, and the Family made great Rejoycing on that Occaſion.

It is ſaid, that a Canal is ordered to be made at St. Quintin, to join the River Somme to the Seine.

The Curacy of S. Paul is given to the Abbé Gueret, Profeſſor of the Sorbonne, one of Cardinal Noailles's Grand Vicars; accordingly he entred in Poſſeſſion of it upon the 6th Inſtant. The Canons of S. Maur pretend to a Right of Nomination to that Curacy, and are going to Law about it: They alledge an Act of their Seculariſation, which gives them the Privilege once in a Hundred Years, of naming a Perſon to the Curacy of Paris, and having made no Choice ſince 1621, they inſiſt upon doing it this Time.

It is reported, that the Arret which orders the Examination and Verification of Bank Bills, will be revoked: That, and other Alterations, it is ſaid, have determined M. Pelletier de la Houſſaye, Comptroller-General of the Finances, to deſire his Diſmiſſion from his Employment; and 'tis conjectured, that in caſe his Requeſt be granted, that Poſt will be conferred upon M. d'Armenonville, Secretary of State for the Marine Affairs, and Father to the Count de Morville, one of our Plenipotentiaries at the Congreſs of Cambray.

London, February 7.

Yeſterday arrived a Mail from Flanders.

Conſtantinople, Dec. 6. On the 26th of the laſt Month, Sig. Emo, Ambaſſadour from the Republick of Venice, had his firſt publick Audience of the Grand Vizier, being conducted in great State and Magnificence: On the 29th, he had a publick Audience of the Grand Sultan, who was ſeated on his Throne under a Canopy beſet with Pearls and Diamonds, having his eldeſt Son, a Prince of 11 Years of Age, ſeated on his right Hand, whoſe Habit likewiſe glittered with precious Stones: The Ambaſſadour having preſented his Credentials, and made a low Obeiſance to the Grand Sultan, was reconducted from the Hall of Audience, which was extreamly noble, to his own Houſe, with the uſual Ceremonies.

Madrid, Jan. 21. The King holds frequent Councils on Matters relating to the State; and 'tis ſaid that an Expreſs is ſent to the Marqueſs de Lede, to return to Spain with the Army he commands in Africa, ſo ſoon as he has put Ceuta in a good Condition of Defence, and ſupplied it with a Garriſon of 5000 Men, and a great Quantity of Stores, Ammunition, and Proviſion of all kinds; it being like to prove a very difficult, and almoſt impracticable Work to carry on the War againſt the Moors with Succeſs, conſidering the Number of their Troops, and the mountainous and craggy Countries in which the Armies are obliged to act.

Hambourg, Feb. 6. Letters from Stockholm of the 23d of the laſt Month ſay, that the Occaſion of the Arreſt of M. Hopken the Swediſh Reſident, who came lately from Vienna, was upon account of his leaving that Court without his Majeſty's Permiſſion, and returning to Sweden under the Pretext of making a Report of Importance to the King, which the Duke of Holſtein's Miniſter at Vienna had communicated to him, viz. That the Czar propoſed the Duke to ſucceed to the Throne of Sweden after the Demiſe of their preſent Majeſties: To aſſiſt the Duke with an Army of 100000 Men, and to permit him in the mean time to enjoy the Revenues and Countries of Finland and Livonia, which the Czar has conquered from the Crown of Sweden. Notwithſtanding the Accounts of that Project, the Court of Sweden is purſuing its Deſign of having a good Fleet at Sea the next Summer, to defend themſelves, in caſe the Methods taken already for procuring a Peace with the Muſcovites ſhould not ſucceed.

Hague, Feb. 12. The States of Holland were aſſembled this Day for the firſt time ſince their laſt Adjournment. Count Windiſchgratz, the Imperial Miniſter, ſet out this Morning to Bruſſels, deſigning to make ſome Stay there, and afterwards to proceed to Cambray.

Portſmouth, Feb 5. This Morning ſailed from Spithead his Majeſty's Ships, Lyon, Lynn, Exeter, Swallow, and Saliſbury, for the Eaſt Indies, with the Grantham, James and Mary, Middleſex, and Francis, four Merchant Ships, under their Convoy. At the ſame time alſo ſailed his Majeſty's Ships Swallow and Weymouth, with the outward bound belonging to the African Company.

Deal, Feb. 4. The outward bound are ſailed.

Deal, Feb. 5. Arrived the Molley from New-England.

London, February 7.

On Sunday laſt in the Evening died the Right Honourable James Earl Stanhope, one of his Majeſty's Principal Secretaries of State, &c.

London, February 7.

Yeſterday South-Sea Stock, Book ſhut. Firſt Subſcription no Price. Second Subſcription no Price. Third Subſcription no Price. Fourth Subſcription no Price. Bank 140 1 half, 141, to 140 1 half. India 145, 146, to 145 1 half. African 33. Unſubſcribed Lottery Annuity 96. York Buildings 22 1 half, to 24 1 half. Royal Exchange Aſſurance 6, to 5 3 qrs. London Aſſurance 6 1 half, to 6.

General Poſt-Office, London, Feb. 6, 1720-21.

Whereas the Briſtol and Glouceſter Mails coming to this Office were this Morning robbed between 3 and 4 a-Clock, on the Road near Slow, by one Highwayman, who took ſeveral Letters out of the ſaid Mails, and ſo rode off towards London: Theſe are therefore to give Notice, that whoever apprehends the ſaid Perſon concerned in this Robbery, [illegible] convicted of the ſame, ſhall receive a Reward of One Hundred Pounds, to be paid by the Receiver General of the Poſt-Office in London, over and above the Reward directed by Act of Parliament for apprehending of Highwaymen. N. B. The Perſon who robbed the Mails was a middle-ſized Man, pretty thin, and rode upon a Sorrel Horſe.

Whereas on Friday laſt, Capt. Thomas Hedges of Mile-End, went from the Jamaica Coffee-houſe in Cornhill about 8 in the Evening, in order to go home, and the ſaid Capt. Hedges having about him a Gold-Watch, with a conſiderable Sum of Money which he had received that Afternoon at the Bank, and not having been at Home, nor ſince heard of, tho' all poſſible Diligence hath been uſed, and there being reaſon to fear his Life, on account of his charge of Money: If any Perſon, paſſing between Mile-End and Cornhill the ſaid Evening, and ſaw the ſaid Gentleman, will pleaſe to leave word at the Bar of the Jamaica Coffee-houſe, it will be acknowledged as a ſignal favour: And if any Perſon can make any diſcovery of the ſaid Gentleman, ſhall receive a handſome Reward.

AT the King's Theatre in the Hay-Market, To-morrow, being Wedneſday, the 8th of February, will be perform'd a new Opera, call'd, ARSACES, or, Amore e Maeſtà. The Pit and Boxes to be put together, and no Perſon to be admitted without Tickets, which will be deliver'd out this Day, at Mrs. White's Chocolate-houſe in St James's-ſtreet, at Half a Guinea each. N. B. Four Hundred Tickets will be deliver'd out, and after they are diſpoſed of, no Perſon whatſoever will be admitted for Money. A proper Officer will attend at each Door, to deliver every Subſcriber his Ticket, without which he will not be admitted. No Perſons are to be admitted behind the Scenes. Gallery 5 s. To begin exactly at Six.

By His Majeſty's Company of Comedians.

AT the Theatre Royal in Drury-Lane, this preſent Tueſday, being the 7th of February, will be preſented, A Play called, The Fatal Marriage: Or, The Innocent Adultery. The Part of Iſabella by Mrs. Porter, Biron Mr. Booth, Villeroy Mr. Mills, Carlos Mr. Thurmond, Fernando Mr. Norris, Jaqueline Mr. Miller, The Porter Mr. Croſs, Julia Mrs. Garnet, Victoria Mrs. Younger. With Dancing by Mr. Shaw, Mr. Boval, Mr. Lally, Miſs Tenoe, and Miſs Smith.

Never Acted in England before.

By the Company of French Comedians.

AT the New Theatre (over-againſt the Opera-Houſe) in the Hay-Market, this preſent Tueſday, being the 7th of February, will be perform'd A Comedy call'd, Le Legataire Univerſel. To which will be added, L'Arlequin Chevalier Errant; ou, La Baguette de Vulcain. With ſeveral Entertainments of Dancing. Boxes 4 s. Pit 2 s. 6 d. Gallery 1 s. 6 d. To begin exactly at Six a-Clock.

Lately come over from Germany, a fine Parcel of Canary-Birds, viz. Jonquil, Mottle, Grey, Aſh, Buff, and divers other Colours: To be ſold at the Bell and Bird-Cage in Wood-ſtreet, the Corner of Silver-ſtreet, by me Andrew Mah.

Loſt on Saturday the 4th Inſtant, about [illegible] in the Afternoon, on the Highway between London and Hampſtead, a Silver Handled Sword. Whoever brings it to the Britiſh Coffee-houſe at Charing-croſs, ſhall have a Guinea Reward, and no Queſtions aſk'd.

Strayed on the 31ſt paſt, out of the Stables of Sir Edw. Gould in Glouceſter-ſtreet, near Queen's-Square, a young Dog, ſpotted all over with black Spots, middle Size, with black Ears, and long Tail ſpotted, a large black Spot on one Side of his Head. Whoever finds the ſaid Dog, and will bring him to Sir Edw. Gould's in Glouceſter-ſtreet, near Queen's-Square, or will give Information where he is, ſo as he may be had again, ſhall have half a Guinea Reward, and no Queſtions asked.

Loſt between the Temple and Royal Exchange, on Saturday the 28th of January, a Parchment Writing of Record: If the Perſon who found it, will bring it to Nando's Coffee-houſe near Temple Bar within four Days after this Notice, he ſhall receive Two Guineas Reward, and no Queſtions asked; it is of no Uſe but to the Owner.

Whereas a Male Child, about 6 Weeks old, was left upon the Neckinger, in the Pariſh of St. Mary Magdalen Bermondſey, on Monday Night, the 30th of January laſt: Theſe are to give Notice, that if any Perſon can make a true Diſcovery who laid or left the ſaid Child there, ſo as they may be taken up, ſuch Perſons making ſuch Diſcovery, ſhall receive of Wm. Fukes, the upper Church-Warden of the ſaid Pariſh, 2 Guineas as a Reward for ſo doing.

To be LETT,

A large Houſe, 5 Rooms on a Floor, with large convenient Ware-houſes and Vaults, ſituate in Aldermary Church-Yard in Bow-lane; to be Lett for a Term of Years. Enquire of Henry Symonds in Friday-ſtreet, or at the ſaid Houſe.

To be Lett.

A large Manſion Houſe, together with large Stables, and Coach-houſes, and handſome Gardens walled round, Orchards and Fiſh-ponds, ſituate in Much Hadham in Hertfordſhire, 5 Miles from Ware, 5 Miles from Biſhop's-Stortford, and 25 Miles from London, lately poſſeſſed by Philip Aſtley, Eſq; Enquire of Mr. Charles Bernard, at Barbers and Surgeons Hall in Monckwell-ſtreet, near Cripplegate, London; or of Mr. Taylor, at his Houſe in Much Hadham aforeſaid.

At Carpenter's Hall, near Little-Moorgate, London, is a continued Sale of all ſorts of Houſhold-Goods, new and old, to be ſold Cheap, with the loweſt Price fixed on each Lott, and conſiſts of Damask, Mohair, Silk, Wrought, Camlet and Stuff Beds, Cabinets, fine Screens, Trunks, Tea-Tables, large [illegible]ſters, Corner-Cupboards, Book-caſes, Cheſts of Drawers: All ſorts of Leather, Cane and Matted Chairs, Down and Feather-Beds, great [illegible] pans, Tapeſtry; a very fine rich Clock, with divers other Clocks, and a large Collection of Pictures. Where are convenient Rooms to accommodate all Perſons for the Sale of ſuch Goods, at half the Charge uſed on ſuch Sales. N. B. Attendance is given from 9 in the Morning till 8 at Night.

To be ſold at a reaſonable Rate,

A Sett of fine Holſteiniſh long-tail'd Greys, conſiſting of 4 Geldings, and two Stone-Horſes. Inquire at the Coach and Horſes in Thrift-ſtreet, by Soho-Square. Note, they may be diſpoſed of by Pairs, or the whole Sett.

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